

X's Thing(s)

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In the November 2013 issue of *Word Ways*, the plea was made for other items like **XANTHIPPE'S SHREW** – that is, a name beginning with X, followed by an apostrophe, an S, and then a final term.

A quick search on the internet has unearthed the following 13 items. You might choose to dismiss some of them, on the grounds of their being misspelled or too obscure, but the list certainly extends the original **XANTHIPPE'S SHREW** offering.

XANA's Kiss	XANA's Kiss is the 43rd episode of <i>Code: LYOKO</i> . It aired on October 7, 2005. <i>Code LYOKO</i> is a French animated television series that utilizes normal animation as well as computer-generated imagery
Xeno's paradox	A misspelling of Zeno's paradox . An internet search for Xeno's Paradox and Zeno's Paradox reveals that the former occurs about half as many times as the correct spelling Zeno's Paradox . Zeno's Paradoxes are a set of philosophical problems generally thought to have been devised by Greek philosopher Zeno of Elea (ca. 490–430 BC) to support Parmenides's doctrine that contrary to the evidence of one's senses, the belief in plurality and change is mistaken, and in particular that motion is nothing but an illusion.
Xerri's Grotto	Xerri's Grotto (pronounced <i>sherry</i>) is an underground cave in the village of Xagħra, Gozo, Malta. It was discovered in 1924 underneath a house during digging for a well. Tours are given by the owners of the house.
X-Cutioner's Song	" X-Cutioner's Song " is a crossover storyline published by Marvel Comics' in twelve parts from the November 1992 to early 1993. It ran in <i>Uncanny X-Men</i> , <i>X-Men (vol. 2)</i> , <i>X-Factor</i> , and <i>X-Force</i> , and featured Stryfe as the central villain.
Xantus's Murrelet	This small bird of coastal Pacific waters is among the world's rarest seabirds. It is also among the most threatened, nesting in as few as 10 locations. Rarely seen from the coast, Xantus's Murrelets prefer the deep, warm offshore waters of the Pacific. They breed much further south than most other members of the alcid family.
Xavier's Greenbul	Xavier's Greenbul (<i>Phyllastrephus xavieri</i>) is a species of songbird in the Pycnonotidae family. It is found in Cameroon, Central African Republic, Republic of the Congo, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Equatorial Guinea,

	<p>Gabon, Nigeria, Tanzania, and Uganda. Its natural habitats are subtropical or tropical dry forests and subtropical or tropical moist lowland forests.</p>
Xenu's Link Sleuth	<p>Xenu's Link Sleuth is spidering software that checks Web sites for broken links. It performs verification on normal links, images, frames, backgrounds, and local image maps. It also displays a continuously updated list of URLs that you can sort by different criteria.</p>
Xenophobe's Guide	<p>The <i>Xenophobe's Guide</i> books are a series of short books published by Oval Books that aim to give the reader the most important information about a country or region in a humorous way. They briefly describe its culture and history and something of the values held by its people under headings like "Business", "Language", etc.</p>
Xecutioner's Return	<p><i>Xecutioner's Return</i> is the seventh studio album by the American death metal band Obituary. The name is derived from Obituary's original band name, which was Xecutioner. It was released on August 28, 2007.</p>
Xantus's Hummingbird	<p>Xantus's Hummingbird, <i>Basilinna xantusii</i>, is a medium-sized hummingbird. It is 8–9 cm long, and weighs approximately 3-4 g.</p>
Xiaolin Wu's line algorithm	<p>Xiaolin Wu's line algorithm is an algorithm for line antialiasing, which was presented in the article <i>An Efficient Antialiasing Technique</i> in the July 1991 issue of <i>Computer Graphics</i>, as well as in the article <i>Fast Antialiasing</i> in the June 1992 issue of <i>Dr. Dobb's Journal</i>.</p>
Xavier's Security Enforcers	<p>Xavier's Security Enforcers (also known as the XSE) are a Marvel Comics superhero team/police force from the fictional 2070s, a time ruled by mutant hunting/killing robots called Sentinels, who at this point in time had run amok, essentially ruling Earth in order to carry out their objective to protect humanity.</p>
Xavier's Underground Enforcers	<p>Xavier's Underground Enforcers, or the X.U.E., are a Marvel Comics superhero team from the fictional 2070s, a timeline which was ruled by mutant hunting/killing robots called Sentinels, who at this point in time had run amok, essentially ruling Earth in order to carry out their objectives to protect humanity.</p>
Xavier's Institute For Higher Learning	<p>In Marvel Comics, Xavier's School for Gifted Youngsters is a special institute founded and led by Professor Charles Xavier to train young mutants in controlling their powers and help foster a friendly human-mutant relationship.</p>